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Complaint about election irregularity in Trent Woods, NC

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As I left the polling station at Garber Methodist Church today, I noticed the representative at the table for the Republican party speaking with a family group. Since the adults were there to vote, they are obviously US citizens, even though some people would consider them "immigrants". As I passed the group to get to the parking lot, I clearly overheard the Republican representative state: "Now this is a very important amendment, and you want to make sure you vote FOR this amendment, not AGAINST this amendment."

In my understanding of electioneering regulations, this woman was well within the area where electioneering is forbidden. I also assume that directing a citizen to vote a specific way on a specific amendment is irregular.

I asked one of the workers at the Democratic table if there was anyone with whom I could lodge a complaint or inquiry about what I saw and heard. This woman directed me to contact you by email to explain the situation.

Please inform me if I was mistaken in my reaction to the behavior I heard and saw, or if this is permissible.

Sincerely,

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If it was outside of the 50 ft buffer zone, they are permitted to do so. The tables were outside of the buffer zones every time I visited that site.

To get the buffer (no campaigning zone) increased, you need to talk to your legislators.

Thank you for your concerns.

If you need any other information, please contact me.

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